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HANDHELD COMPUTER SYSTEM CONFIGURED TO AUTHENTICATE A USER AND

POWER-UP IN RESPONSE TO A SINGLE ACTION BY THE USER

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Examiner:

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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